SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 1191 By Southerland

A RESOLUTION to honor and congratulate Cindy Sams upon her selection as Teacher of the Year at Tusculum View Elementary School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to specially recognize those outstanding educators who have devoted their careers to providing the highest quality education for Tennessee's students; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Cindy Sams is one such estimable educator, who has distinguished herself as a professional of the greatest dedication, ability, and integrity; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Sams has recently been selected as the Building Level Teacher of the Year for grades PK-4 at Tusculum View Elementary School, an honor most befitting her outstanding tenure as a positive influence on countless young lives; and

WHEREAS, in addition to this prestigious honor, Cindy Sams was also chosen as the System Level Teacher of the Year for grades PK-4; and

WHEREAS, her stellar work in the classroom has enabled Mrs. Sams to develop a wonderful school music program; several of her choir students have made appearances at community events; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Sams's work ethic and dedication to her students, both inside and outside of the classroom, earned her much deserved Teacher of the Year honors; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Sams is an extremely talented and compassionate educator who works assiduously to motivate her students to reach their full potential, both as scholars and as citizens; and

WHEREAS, Cindy Sams truly serves as an inspiration to her colleagues and students alike, and her friendship and counsel are highly valued by those who are fortunate to know her; and

WHEREAS, truly epitomizing the ideal of the dedicated teacher who is wholly committed to the highest ideals of public service and quality education for all, Cindy Sams should be specially recognized; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we honor and congratulate Mrs. Cindy Sams on being chosen Teacher of the Year for grades PK-4 at Tusculum View Elementary School, commend her exceptional service to the children of Tennessee, salute her professional expertise and personal excellence as the Greeneville School System's Teacher of the Year for grades PK-4, and wish her all the best in her future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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